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## TERMINAL DISCLAIMER UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(c)

The disclaimant, Plantibodies Corporation, having a principal place of business at 158 Credle Street, Pittsboro, NC 27312, verifies through its duly authorized representative that it is the owner of all right, title, and interest in the above-identified application, by Assignment recorded February 24, 2005 at Reel 015778, Frame 0716.

The disclaimant hereby disclaims the terminal part of any patent granted on the aboveidentified application which would extend beyond the expiration date of the full statutory term of United States Patent No. 6,045,774, issued January 10, 1997, entitled NOVEL EPITHELIAL TISSUE IMAGING AGENT, which patent was assigned to the above-identified disclaimant by an Assignment also recorded February 24, 2005 at Reel 015778, Frame 0716.

Disclaimant further agrees that any patent so granted on the above-identified application, which is the subject of this disclaimer, shall be enforceable only for and during such period that the legal title to said patent shall be the same as the legal title to U.S. Patent No. 6,045,774, this agreement to run with any patent granted on the above-identified application and to be binding upon the grantee, its successors or assigns.

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I, John Irick, represent that I am the Vice President and Secretary of Plantibodies Corporation and am authorized to execute this disclaimer on behalf of Plantibodies Corporation. I further declare that the evidentiary documents of ownership have been reviewed, and I certify that to the best of disclaimant's knowledge and belief, title is in the disclaimant seeking to take action.

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